Patent Claims

1. A telecommunication terminal, in particular a mobile telephone (1),

5   characterized by

an external signaling apparatus (3) connected to the telecommunication terminal (1) by means of cordless communication for the purpose of cordless call signaling.

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2. The telecommunication terminal as claimed in claim 1,

characterized

in that, upon receiving a call, the

15   telecommunication terminal (1) sends a signaling signal for activating silent call signaling to the signaling apparatus (3) and, if the call is accepted by a user of the telecommunication terminal (1), sends a signaling end signal for

20   deactivating silent call signaling to the signaling apparatus (3).

3. The telecommunication terminal as claimed in claim 1 or 2,

25   characterized

in that cordless communication between telecommunication terminal (1) and signaling apparatus (3) takes place by radio or by infrared.

30 4. The telecommunication terminal as claimed in one of claims 1 to 3,

characterized

in that the signaling apparatus (3) is designed to give a visual, odorous or vibrating alarm.

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5. The telecommunication terminal as claimed in one of claims 1 to 4,

characterized

in that the telecommunication terminal (1) has an audible alarm device which is automatically activated if the signaling apparatus (3) is not operational or the physical distance between telecommunication

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terminal (1) and signaling apparatus (3) exceeds a
particular value.

6.   The telecommunication terminal as claimed in one
5   of claims 1 to 5,
     characterized
     in that the signaling apparatus (3) has a
     dedicated power supply.

10   7.   The telecommunication terminal as claimed in one
     of claims 1 to 6,
     characterized
     in that the signaling apparatus (3) is designed to
     be carried on the body of the user.
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     8.   The telecommunication terminal as claimed in claim
     7,
     characterized
     in that the signaling apparatus (3) is
20   automatically activated and an audible alarm
     device of the telephone is automatically
     deactivated when the signaling apparatus (3) is
     being carried on the body of the user.

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